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In re application of

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CHIP ANTENNA

RESPONSE

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Sir:

Pursuant to the requirement contained in the Office Action mailed April 14, 2005, Applicants hereby provisionally elect Group I, claims 1-23, drawn to a chip antenna **with traverse**.

The restriction outlines four separate species: I - claims 1-23; II - claims 24-30; III - claim 31; and IV - claim 32. Further, the restriction indicates that no claim is generic. The restriction is traversed for the following reasons.

It is noted that independent claim 1 recites a chip antenna containing a number of elements. Further, it is noted that each of independent claims 23-25, 27, 31 and 32 also includes a chip antenna having the same features as recited in claim 1. It is clear that claim 1 represents a sub-combination and that each of independent claims 23-25, 27, 31 and 32 is combination including all of the limitations of the sub-combination. Since the combinations each include all of the features of the sub-combination, the restriction is improper. Therefore, all of claims 1-32 should be examined.

In view of this election, a full examination on the merits of the present application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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